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Sir:

In response to a "Notice to File Corrected -
Application Papers" (Formalities Letter) we received in
connection with the following US patent application:

Applicants: **Jonathan TAMS, Mark Adrian PEARCE,
Robin IDDON, Ronnie BROWN**

Title of application: **METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR
MONITORING, COLLECTING, STORING, PROCESSING AND USING
NETWORK TRAFFIC DATA OF OVERLAPPING TIME PERIODS**

Serial No.: **09/823,306** Filed: **April 2, 2001**

Confirmation No.: **8631**

Attorney Docket No.: **3Com-7/Con(1611.NMD.US.C)**

We enclose the following material herewith:

- XX Postcard receipt;
- XX Abstract of the Disclosure;
- XX Copy of Formalities Letter (Notice to File
Corrected Application Papers) issued in
connection with this application;
- XX Submission of Substitute Drawings; and
- XX Nine (9) Sheets of Substitute Drawings
[Figs. 1-10].

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
- An Abstract not to exceed 150 words in length, commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.72(b)).

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SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS

In response to the "Notice to File Corrected Application Papers" mailed April 30, 2001, the applicants have submitted herewith Nine (9) sheets of substitute drawings (Figs. 1-10) in connection with the above-captioned application.

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